

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: Food Service Managers (11-9051)

Associated Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 70

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Food Production	2.1	10.7	11.0	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Production and Processing	6.0	7.9	12.2	>> Current knowledge level is likely more than sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 72

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Quality Control Analysis	5.9	7.4	6.4	< A higher skill level may be required
Mathematics	6.2	5.7	7.1	> Skill level is likely sufficient
Management of Material Resources	3.7	5.4	8.7	>> Skill level is likely more than sufficient

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Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 77

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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Oral Expression	12.4	9.3	14.0	>>	Current ability level is likely more than sufficient
Problem Sensitivity	11.1	9.1	12.7	>>	Current ability level is likely more than sufficient
Manual Dexterity	6.5	9.0	8.2	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Visual Color Discrimination	6.4	8.8	6.4	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Trunk Strength	5.7	7.7	6.0	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Wrist-Finger Speed	3.2	5.9	3.3	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 86

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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Assign work to staff or employees	30
Coordinate banquets, meetings or related events	85
Determine food or beverage costs	92
Direct and coordinate food or beverage preparation	82
Investigate customer complaints	67
Maintain records, reports, or files	5
Plan meal presentations	95
Plan menus	77
Price items on menu	95
Provide customer service	14
Purchase food or beverages	82
Understand government health, hotel or food service regulations	68
Use knowledge of food handling rules	71

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 80

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Business function specific software	1
Computers	1
Data management and query software	1
Industry specific software	1

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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